

Questions about *In a Minute*

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1 Why did Mum ask for Rory's help?

Tick **one**.

She was fixing his bike.

She was washing up.

She was baking.

She was eating a snack.

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2 *The clothes on the line were soaked.*

What does the word soaked tell you about the clothes?

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3 Look at page 1.

How was everyone feeling about Rory?

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4 Put ticks in the table to show how each person made Rory wait.

	Mum	Dad
did not fix Rory's bike		

did not give Rory a sandwich		
watched TV		
read the newspaper		

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- 5 **Find and copy one** word that shows Rory was upset when his friends went on the bike ride.

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- 6 How do you know Rory didn't mean to make everyone wait?

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- 7 Why did Rory grin at the end of the story?

Tick **one**.

He realised his mistake.

He was happy that everyone had waited.

He was looking forward to his bike ride.

He loved his new watch.

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- 8 Next time Rory's dad asks him for help, what might Rory do?

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- 9 Number the sentences from 1 to 4 to show the order in which they happened in the story.

Tick **one**.

Mum and Dad made a plan.

Rory learned how long a minute is.

Mum gave Rory a watch.

Everyone noticed Rory never did anything on time.